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DIARY NOTES

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1. [REDACTED] was in with a long paper to General Cabell reporting on the status of our emergency planning. I asked him to hold it until about the middle of December at which time we could bring it up-to-date, if necessary, and transmit it. [REDACTED] was somewhat worried that [REDACTED] had been talking to General Cabell about emergency planning and that General Cabell might not feel that we are as well prepared as we actually are. He thought that [REDACTED] was probably doing this in his capacity as Chairman of the USIB Steering Committee on Emergency Planning. Certain reports are due in this Committee by 1 December.) 25X1A9a

2. Lyman Kirkpatrick indicated to me that he might want [REDACTED] on his Staff when he returned from the Air War College. 25X1A9a

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3. [REDACTED] was in to see me to request special consideration which would permit him to be terminated and eligible for an immediate annuity. This comes about by reason of the fact that Bob Amory and George Carey have asked him to resign. I told him that I would look into the matter and contact him later. (I have done this and have advised him that we cannot abolish his job but that if he chose to be selected out for unsuitability rather than resign there might be a slight possibility that the Civil Service Commission would honor his request for retirement. I have agreed to talk with Bob Amory and Lyman Kirkpatrick further about this.)

4. Shef Edwards reported to me that in his interview with [REDACTED] alleged that the Management Staff had not shown him his Fitness Reports despite the fact that these Reports indicated that they had been shown to him. 25X1A9a

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